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## Around the Square

In a fit of melancholy we approach this week's column, realizing that progress has its price, good friends must follow their destined paths and let's have another short beer.

Kenneth Kearney, his moustache, his good wife Jean, their Irish elegants—Bridget and Mike, son of Bridget, leave Sierra Madre this week for the town of Independence in Inyo County.

Ken is to become Deputy District Attorney there and, yielding to Jean's persuasions and his own desires, plans to write again.

No one wishes him other than the best, but we lose a colorful personality, a wry and satiric wit and a yarn spinner of the first water.

It was Ken who defended all the dogs in Sierra Madre against the City Council's dog-catching maneuvers three years ago, warning the Council that every dog not only had its day, but had two adult friends who could vote—an impertinent reminder which apparently had effect.

In April '47 the town rocked when he demanded a jury trial (first in years) to settle the harassing question as to whether Miss Minnie Davis' chickens had been permitted to run at large.

Solemn as barn owls, 12 prominent men heard Kearney and City Atty. Reynolds' arguments, then deliberated two hours before returning a verdict of "not guilty." The trial drew as big a crowd as though the outcome were to have been the guillotine instead of fricassee.

Four months later Council Kearney demanded a jury trial for a woman defendant held on charges of disturbing the peace. With the complainant on the stand, he idly flipped the papers before him and asked suavely, "Mrs. . . . according to wording of the complaint, you were "trauduced" by the defendant. Is this true?"

The whole courtroom sucked in its breath. What an awful word! Had she been? Mrs. . . . confessed she did not know the meaning of the word. The question was even touchier when Mr. Kearney asked her husband if he had been "trauduced." At this point the jury itself requested a dictionary and found that trauduce means "to vilify, defame, expose to contempt by slander."

In the seven years the Kearneys have been here, Ken has dispensed enough free advice, curbstone opinions, backed enough effusions for local causes to have amassed a tidy fortune if he'd ever charged a fee. But these things were the "fun" of law practice, he claimed.

Luck to both of you and don't let good fortune traduce you.

We like the story of Ralph Bent of Skyland Drive giving his wife an electric blanket for Christmas. And then under the pretense of "seeing if it worked" napping under its sheltering kilowatts for three hours.

Editor and Publisher contributes a typo from the St. Petersburg (Fla.) Independent:

"Immediately after the ceremony a reception was held in the church parlors."

We are interested to learn that the Edison Company is now giving us an hour a day of good music over KFAC. It precedes by an hour, the Gas Company's program. The public utilities are certainly capuling our musical education, but it's not hard to take.

Did anyone ever hear of shearing an Alredale for his wool?

Well, it was just an idea.

—MCD

## Record Snow Hits Sierra Madre, Too

Heaviest Snowfall in History

Blankets Sierra Madre Monday Night

BOOST INSPECTION FEE TO \$1 IF IT

CAN BE MADE LEGAL

City inspection fees for installation of driveways and sidewalks will be increased from the present 60 cents to \$1—as soon as the city Council discovers what authority it has for charging a fee at all.

The increase was proposed to cover inspection costs, but City Engineer Howard W. Brod said he hadn't been able to find anything in the building ordinance or any prior Council resolution which authorized a charge.

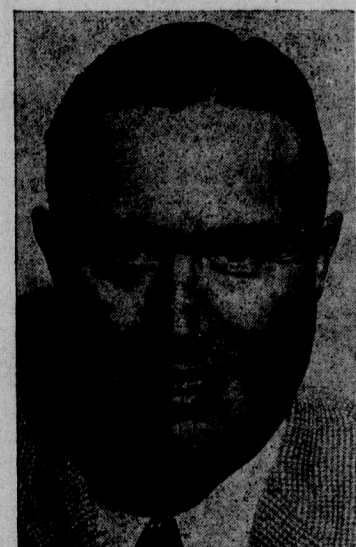
"That's what you call an informal fee," Sierra Madre's new city attorney, T. Guy Cornyn, said.

"And if there's no ordinance and you charge 60 cents now, then you can charge \$1," Mayor Milton Steinberger added.

But the Council ordered an audit of its ordinances. And if there isn't one, they'll write one—for the dollar.

## Masonic Installation Tuesday

The Fortieth Installation of Sierra Madre Lodge F. & A. M. No. 408 will be conducted next Tuesday night in the Masonic



HAROLD F. ROBERTS

Temple at 8 o'clock. The public is invited to attend.

Harold F. Roberts will be installed as Worshipful Master; Clair B. Cline, Senior Warden; John W. Adams, Junior Warden; Wilbur S. Hull, treasurer; Thurman Corneth, secretary; Carl Smith, chaplain; Thomas M. Tarwater, Senior Deacon; Thomas C. Polgreen, Junior Deacon; Henry Vis, Marshall; Harry B. Humphreys, Senior Steward; James W. Moore, Junior Steward; and Harry C. Humphreys, Tiler.

Judge John C. Mead is the retiring Worshipful Master from the lodge which numbers 125 regular and affiliated members.

## DISTURBING PEACE EXPENSIVE HERE

Homer Waldon of Altadena learned that Sierra Madre is an expensive place in which to disturb the peace.

Judge John C. Mead set the price at \$50.

Waldon, an employee of an out-of-town cesspool company, assertedly created a ruckus when an argument arose with Lee B. Parks of 449 West Orange Grove over the parking of the worker's truck.

Parks signed a complaint last Thursday.

Waldon reportedly asked his boss to be in the future omitted from crews on Sierra Madre jobs.

Three to four inches of snow fell in some sections of the city. Low areas got about two inches. It meant fun for the kids and excitement for many former snow-country residents—but it meant added disaster for Sierra Madre's already hard-hit nurseries and growers.

The additional damage from the weight of the snow and the cold cannot yet be fully determined. The nurserymen reported. Some frosted stock may yet come back, and some stock appearing to be

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## IRA FOX OPENS NEW BARBER SHOP IN NEW BUILDING

The latest addition to Sierra Madre's business area will be the brand new barber shop to be opened by Ira Fox at 74 W. Sierra Madre Blvd. The shop will open in the new building just completed by Byron Hopper located between "Tiny's" and the Dickson-Sorensen Market.

Mr. Fox who was with the Lange Barber Shop 15 years and recently with Mr. Webb will maintain a three chair shop beside having headquarters for Roy Edwards of the Troy Laundry.

The new business is expected to start operations about January 20th.

## Familiar With the Salt Mine Pieces

Famous art masterpieces from the Kaiser-Freidrich Gallery in Berlin, Germany, now being shown in the Los Angeles Museum, have been viewed twice in Berlin by Ransom Matthews, 186 Grove.

Mr. Matthews, Curator of Mechanics at the Los Angeles Museum, traveled about Europe prior to both World Wars and made it a point to visit the famous gallery.

The masterpieces are being shown until January 22.

## Sierra Madrean to Head Monrovia Masonic Lodge



THOMAS K. NIELSEN

Many Sierra Madre friends and Masonic associates attended the public installation of the Monrovia Masonic Lodge, No. 607 at the Masonic Temple on Foothill at Primrose, Saturday evening.

Thomas K. Nielsen of 245 North Sunnyside was installed as Worshipful Master. Mr. Nielsen has been associated with the local telephone company for 26 years and has made many friends.

The installation was public and held at 8 o'clock in the evening. Of added interest locally, Elizabeth and Harlow Mills were the musical artists of the evening.



DR. DANIEL D'ARCY

## 1949 OFFICERS FOR C. OF C. NAMED, MORGAN PRESIDENT

Al E. Morgan was named 1949 president of the Chamber of Commerce at Monday's meeting of the Board of Directors.

Other officers elected were Dr. Dan D'Arcy, optometrist, vice president and Peter Ward, newspaperman, treasurer.

Morgan is a vice president of the Bank of Sierra Madre and a member of the Bank's Board of Directors. Prior to his election as president he was treasurer for the Chamber.

The resignation of Carl Colt, a member of the Board for the past three years was accepted with regret, and Irving Pollock of Pollock's Market was ap-

pointed to fill the vacancy. He has been notified of the appointment, but acceptance has not yet been received by the Board, Morgan said.

Regular meeting dates for the Chamber were changed at Monday's meeting. The Chamber of Commerce will now meet at noon on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month, at a luncheon. The Sierra Madre Hotel dining room has been selected as the place for these meetings. The first of these noon meetings will be held January 20.

All Chamber members and all others interested were urged by

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## PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, infantile paralysis last year struck our nation with intense fury, taking savage toll of thousands of little children, and,

WHEREAS, during the past six polio seasons more than 100,000 Americans have been stricken by this crippling disease, and,

WHEREAS, the services of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis and its 2,819 chapters were at hand to aid those stricken, and,

WHEREAS, in so doing last summer the National Foundation exhausted its epidemic emergency aid fund, and,

WHEREAS, the 1949, March of Dimes, January 14-31, provides the only means by which the National Foundation and its chapters may continue to fight infantile paralysis, by aiding those stricken, while financing research to find a preventive or cure, and,

WHEREAS, infantile paralysis is certain to strike again next summer, and adequate resources must be available to meet its menace,

THEREFORE, I, J. Milton Steinberger, Mayor of Sierra Madre, do urgently appeal to each and every resident to join zealously during the period January 14-31, in making the 1949 March of Dimes the most successful in local history.

## Smudge Pot Blast Hits Marshall's

An exploding smudge pot at Marshall's Nursery on Sierra Madre boulevard brought firemen on the run late Wednesday, but damage was negligible.

Cloyd Marshall was filling the pot at the time of the blast, but he was not injured. A few plants were scorched by the burning oil, but Marshall said that damage to his stock had already been done by the frost.

## Bank Seeks Approval of Project Plans

A polite but cautious "no" was given the Bank of Sierra Madre this week, although the word itself was not used by any of the councilmen.

Vice-president A. E. Morgan of the Bank appeared at the council meeting Tuesday to get approval of proposed plans for a \$20,000 remodeling project of the bank. He said that the city was getting "a little technical" and he indicated that there might even be an element of

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## COMIC BOOK GOOD SENSE ASKED BY PTA

Full support in an effort to ban offensive comic books was pledged to the P.T.A. this week by Sierra Madre distributors, barber shops and others displaying the magazines.

A committee headed by Mrs. Frank Penn and Mrs. Robert LaLone called upon the businessmen and asked their full cooperation in this effort which is in line with the move being made by the National Congress of Parents and Teachers to remove crime comics and objectionable comics from the stands.

A list of comic books acceptable to the P.T.A. was given to each vendor along with the list of objectionables. The decisions made on these lists were arrived at after studies made by

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## TEMPERATURES

	Max.	Min.
January 6th	56°	29°
January 7th	66°	38°
January 8th	64°	36°
January 9th	65°	38°
January 10th	58°	29°
January 11th	44°	30°
January 12th	44°	30°

## Council Approves Orange Grove Ave. Heavy Truck Ban

### Polio Fund Need Is Desperate

The desperate need for a record 1949 March of Dimes campaign is being stressed by the Sierra Madre Civic Club which is sponsoring the fund raising



Louise

Among Sierra Madre parents who are deeply grateful for the help received for their stricken ones are Mr. and Mrs. Luke Annas of 209 Ramona. Little seven-year-old Louise is a patient at Huntington Hospital. She was stricken with polio nine weeks ago and will have many more weeks to spend there before she can walk.

Mrs. Pangborn is asking for volunteers to serve at the booth in front of the Bank and also for volunteers to attend the Hollywood parade, Jan. 28, a stupendous project to aid all communities in reaching their goal by collection from the sightseers.

## Rescue Party in Night Search for Lost Hiker

A rescue party spent last Sunday night in the foothills searching for a man who lost his way while taking a Sunday walk.

Wesley Takala, 3207 Toyon Road, left his residence in the afternoon for a walk in the hills behind his home. His wife was alarmed when he failed to return that evening. She called police.

A searching party composed of Police Officer M. E. Gotcher, Special Patrolman Fred LaLone,

## Canyon Death Brings Suit For \$25,000

Damages of \$25,000 are sought from the County Flood Control District, the City of Sierra Madre and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Debus of Sierra Madre in a civil suit filed in Superior Court.

The action was brought by Edward M. Barlow for the death last June 3 of his brother, Arthur M. Barlow, who allegedly died as a result of injuries suffered when he fell into the flood control channel in front of the Debus' home at 731 Brookside Lane last May 31.

The complaint, filed by Attorney William Cusack, said that at the time of the accident the defendants were negligent in failing to place a light or warning by the channel which constituted a "hazard and trap."

The deceased allegedly fell 12 feet to the concrete channel bottom after stumbling on the unguarded, one-foot wall.

Claims of \$25,000 previously filed with the city and the Flood Control District were denied. As a result, the Superior Court suit was filed.

## EMERGENCY LAW WILL ALSO APPLY TO SUNNYSIDE AVE.

An agreement under which Orange Grove and Sunnyside avenues will be out-of-bounds for heavy trucks was arrived at this week by the City Council.

Although the proposal had been sidetracked last month despite the protests of residents of the streets and City Engineer Howard W. Brod who said trucks were "tearing the streets to pieces," the Council last Tuesday decided that an ordinance would have to be put through immediately on an emergency basis.

At its next meeting this month City Attorney T. Guy Cornyn will present a sample ordinance banning all commercial

## Frost-bite . . In California

Mrs. May de Wright, Planning Commission chairman, reported almost complete recovery from a case of frost-bite acquired last week while driving from San Diego to Sierra Madre.

"I spent two winters in Wisconsin," Mrs. de Wright said, "and nothing like this happened to me there. That's why this is so amazing—frost-bite in California."

Mrs. de Wright had been visiting in San Diego and returned when she received report of the illness of one of her favorite cats, apparently the victim of a poisoner, she said.

vehicles of two ton gross weight from those streets. If it is accepted a special meeting will probably be called for the second reading, and the law will become effective immediately upon its publication.

The delay in the ordinance resulted from belief that such a weight limit would bar passenger vehicles with commercial licenses.

Councilman Henry Korsmeier pointed out that if the weight limitation affected very many people in such a category, the law could be amended.

Residents of Orange Grove have vigorously protested against the use of that street by heavy trucks. Seven letters from residents were before the Council. They came from Mr. and Mrs. George E. Hoff, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Andrews, Hazel Hill Morgridge, Lloyd D. Warrack, Mr. and Mrs. George D. Andres and Mr. and Mrs. Francis C. Cleary.

The Council also authorized City Engineer Howard W. Brod to make a survey of sewer needs for the business district in an attempt to work out plans for commercial establishments to connect onto the sewer trunk lines.

Brod pointed out that a local sewer district would have to be established with at least 75 per cent of the businesses joining in the fund for connections. The whole project would operate on a pay-as-you-go basis, and cost to each business would be approximately \$100.

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## Annual Red Cross Meeting Monday

The Red Cross annual meeting will be held January 17, at 8 P. M. in the Woman's Clubhouse.

Letters have been sent to all civic and religious organizations to send representatives to the meeting as in addition to the usual Red Cross business, the question of civilian relief will be discussed with hope that some permanent arrangement can be made for the handling of local welfare.

## S. M. Boy Wins Nat'l Prize



Mrs. Ralph Hurwit of the Ralph Shoe Company presents Dannie Peterson with a three way portable Zenith radio, the prize in a recent Snyder Shoe Co. Contest.

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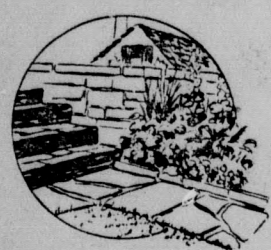


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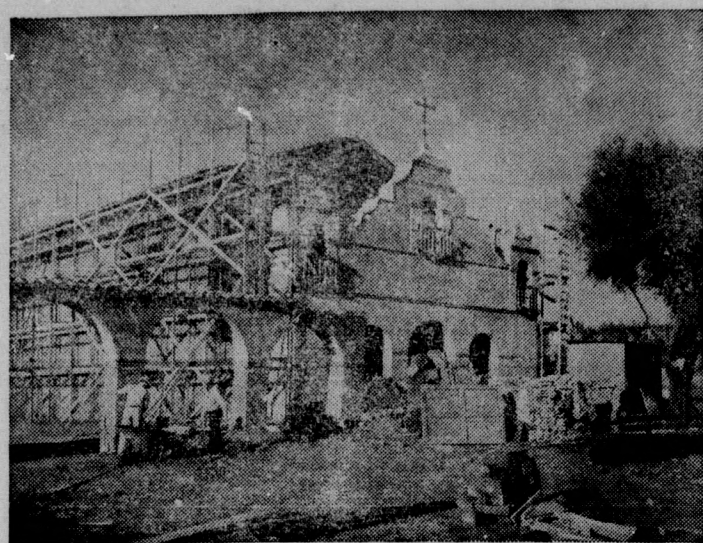
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## "Along El Camino Real"



BY RAY J. HEWITT  
MISSION SAN ANTONIO DE PADUA, near King City, California: now being restored by the Order of Friars Minor (Franciscans) for use as a school.

The gift of \$500,000.00 from the Hearst Foundation for restoration of California's old Franciscan Missions has resulted in work being started on the restoration of Mission San Antonio de Padua, which was the third Mission to be established in the chain which later grew to a total of twenty-one.

\$50,000.00 has been set aside for the preliminary work of the main building, which contains the chapel (shown above); further work will be done by the Franciscans who have been so successful in the restoration of other Missions turned over to their care, among which are Santa Barbara, San Miguel, Santa Ines and San Luis Rey. The work now in progress is under the direction of Harry Downey, who did such a remarkable job of restoration at Mission San Carlos Borromeo de Carmelo at Carmel that he has been consultant on practically every other restoration since then.

Mission San Antonio was one of the largest and richest of all the Missions in the days before secularization. Established by Fr. Serra on July 14, 1771, in a beautiful valley at the foot of the Santa Lucia Mountains, its growth was rapid. In fact, some 1800 neophyte Indians were baptized here within the next few years. One finds it hard to believe such a thriving community could once have graced this place, as the main highway is now 18 miles distant and the valley is indeed deserted.

The restoration work is uncovering many interesting objects which graced the original Mission. Back of the sagging arches, seen in the left of the picture, was a great heap of rubble and disintegrated 'dobe. Upon clearing this away a complete tile floor was found; also many of the crude tools used by the padres were unearthed. To the right of the main building was a small cemetery with only two headstones remaining. These have been augmented by additional finds in the ruins. One of the original bells still hangs in the tower and others are now being cast to replace those missing.

The restoration of Mission San Antonio marks a long step in California's attempt to restore her many interesting historical buildings and landmarks. These efforts were led by Mr. Joseph R. Knowland, Oakland publisher, Native Son and father of U. S. Senator Wm. F. Knowland, who first became

interested in the restoration of Mission San Antonio in 1903, when he stumped the state to raise money for this and other restoration work, forming the California Landmarks Association which has been active ever since.

## Nat'l Guard Inspection Promotion

Promotions and inspections held the spotlight at the National Guard meeting Monday night.

Sierra Madre's National Guard Heavy Mortar Company was one of three companies to receive a satisfactory report in a recent federal inspection of all companies in the 223rd Infantry Regiment. There are approximately 12 companies in each regiment.

Federal reports cover three specific issues: Administration, Supply and Training.

Promotions moved Sgt. Carl Cullum up to Mess Steward with a Sgt. 1st Class rating.

New Platoon Sergeants also receiving a Sgt. 1st Class rating are former Sgts. Melvin J. Leis and Michael Castaneda.

## Card of Thanks

Deepest appreciation and thanks is extended to the many friends who were so kind during the illness of our dear one, Mary A. Kromer, for the cards sent and the many expressions of sympathy by phone calls and attendance of services.

Husband, E. I. Kromer  
Sons, Edgar H. and Elwood Kromer,  
Daughter-in-law, Estelle F. Kromer  
Mother-in-law, Elizabeth S. Dietz.

## Card of Thanks

We are most grateful to the members of Lodge 408 F & A M, the American Legion Post No. 297 and Veterans of Foreign Wars No. 9820 for the very impressive joint service held in the Chapel at Mountain View Mausoleum, Saturday, January 8th for Ben Lyon, Jr.

Special thanks is offered to the Legion Auxiliary and VFW Auxiliary and the members of the Eastern Star for the beautiful floral tributes and the attendance of the many friends.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ben M. Lyon

## GIVE ME HEALTH AND A DAY

★ "Give me health and a day and I will make the pomp of emperors ridiculous" was Ralph Waldo Emerson's terse but eloquent opinion of the value of health. The vibrant, glowing health of which he speaks is seldom an accident of birth. Its price is constant vigilance, with proper regard for rest, fresh air, exercise, and diet.

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## Community Calendar

Thursday, Jan. 13, 1949  
American Legion Auxiliary—8 p. m.  
Lions Club—Woman's Club-house—7 p. m.  
Explorers Scouts—Youth Hut, 7:30 p. m.  
PTA Board meeting—School cafeteria, 9:30 a. m.

Friday, Jan. 14.  
Teen Age Dance—Park House, 7 to 9 p. m.  
Tree Trimmers—Youth Hut, 7:30 p. m.  
Santa Anita Gun Club, City Hall Basement, 7:30 p. m.  
Girl Scouts—5th Grade Intermediate, St. Rita's, 3:30 p. m.  
Adult Recreation—Cards, Shuffle Board, Horseshoes, City Park.

Saturday, Jan. 15  
Adult Recreation—Cards, Shuffle Board, Horseshoes, City Park.  
Duets—meet 8 p. m., Congregational Church.

Sunday, Jan. 16  
Foothill Jewish Center PTA Buffet Supper & Dance, 7 p. m.  
Adult Recreation—Cards, Shuffle Board, Horseshoes, City Park.

Monday, Jan. 17  
National Guard—City Hall Basement, 7:30 p. m.  
Recreational Program—Park House, 7 to 9 p. m.  
Order of Eastern Star—Masonic Temple, 8 p. m.

Pre-School—City Park, 9 to 11 a. m.  
Sea Scouts—Youth Hut, 7 p. m.  
Adult Recreation—Cards, Shuffle Board, Horseshoes, City Park.

Girl Scouts—7th Gr. Inter.—Cong. Church, 3:30 p. m.  
Brownies—3rd Grade—Cong. Church, 2:30 p. m.  
Brownies—2nd Gr.—St. Rita's, 2:15 p. m.

Tuesday, Jan. 18  
Masonic Lodge—Masonic Temple, 33 E. Sierra Madre Blvd., 7:30 p. m.

Kiwanis Club—Woman's Club-house, 12:10 p. m.  
Group Leadership & Craft Classes, Grammar School, 7 to 9 p. m.

Monthly Educational Meeting—Nursery School, 8 p. m.  
Hebrew Classes—Contemporary Discussion, Jewish Community Center, 218 N. Lima St., 8 p. m.

Senior Scouts—Youth Hut, 7:30 p. m.  
Girl Scouts, 8th Grade Inter., Youth Hut, 4 p. m.  
Brownies—4th Grade—Congregational Church, 3:30 p. m.  
Adult Recreation—Cards, Shuffle Board, Horseshoes, City Park.

Wednesday, Jan. 19  
Laymen's Fellowship Dinner—Ladies Night, Cong. Church, 7 p. m.  
VFW Auxiliary—Old Adobe, 8 p. m.  
American Legion Post 297—City Hall Basement, 7:30 p. m.  
Adult Recreation—Cards, Shuffle Board, Horseshoes, City Park.

Thursday, Jan. 20  
Lions Club—Woman's Club-house, 7 p. m.  
Explorers Scouts—Youth Hut, 7:30 p. m.  
Adult Recreation—Cards, Shuffle Board, Horseshoes, City Park.  
PTA meet 2:45 p. m., School Cafeteria.

## Owner of Arcadia Apparel Store

A transaction has been consummated between two Sierra Madre parties: Rubina Bard has purchased the "Gini" (ladies apparel) store at 139 E. Huntington Drive in Arcadia from Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brothers. Miss Bard lives on East Highland and the Brothers have a Woodland Drive address, they recently sold their home on Vista Circle.

Miss Bard has a wide circle of friends in her fashion field experience.

## Civil Service Exam Extended to Jan. 19th

The time limit for the Civil Service examination previously announced, for clerks and carriers at the local Post Office has been extended from January 4th to January 19th. Anyone wishing to make application for the examination apply at the local Post Office for the form.

All types of fine engraving can be secured at the Sierra Madre News.

## George Sailor New Al Malaikah Shrine Potentate For 1949



George E. Sailor of Hollywood is the new Potentate of the 17,000 members of Al Malaikah Temple of the Shrine, succeeding Edward T. Cook, who held office in 1948. Potentate Sailor is the owner of a chain of markets scattered all over Southern California, and is a director and meat operator of Valley Market Town in the Van Nuys district. He is a native son of Los Angeles, and attended Polytechnic Junior College.

He belongs to Westlake Lodge, Free and Accepted Masons; Signet Chapter, Royal Arch Masons; and Golden West Commandery, Knights Templar of California. Virgil F. Frizzell of Aladena, advanced to chief rabbi; William Froelich of Los Angeles to assistant rabbi; Charles T. Reichert of Torrance, moved up to High Priest and Prophet; and Arch L. Field of Glendale to Oriental Guide. Ernest L. Hurst of Los Angeles was re-elected recorder.

## PARTNERSHIP CHANGE IN LOCAL CAB COMPANY

Dean Johnson of the Wistaria Cab Co. acquired a new business partner the first of the year. He is Larry Gonzales, formerly of the local Post Office personnel.

Mr. Gonzales has resided here for the past three years with his wife and two sons, Larry and Peter, at 293 Mariposa. Mr. Johnson's former partner, Fred Lewis, has gone into the cab business in Lancaster. He has joined partnership with Raymond Penn, a former Sierra Madrean.

## RED OAK

Mr. and Mrs. John N. Ogden and son, Steven, of Red Oak, Iowa, arrived recently for a week's visit with Mr. Ogden's father and sister, John Ogden and Mrs. W. H. Coleman, 790 North Auburn.

Good taste calls for engraved wedding announcements—from a wide selection at the Sierra Madre News.

## Church

Announcements

FOR  
SUNDAY



## Church of The Ascension

Corner N. Baldwin and Laurel Ave.  
Rev. H. G. Smith, Jr., Rector.  
Rev. Charles I. Fritz  
Rev. A. G. H. Bode, Rector Emeritus.

SUNDAYS

8:00 A. M.—Holy Eucharist.  
Fourth Sunday Corporate.  
Communion and Breakfast.

9:30 A. M.—Family Eucharist and Church School Classes.

11:00 A. M.—Choral Eucharist and Sermon.

12:15 P. M.—Baptisms.

WEEK DAYS  
Tuesday—6:45 A. M.—Holy Eucharist.  
Wednesday and Friday—9:00 A. M.—Holy Eucharist.

Thursday—10:00 A. M.—Holy Eucharist.

Third Wednesday—7:45 P. M.—Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, Confraternity of the Blessed Sacrament.

Saturday—Sacrament of Penance, 5 P. M.

Before fourth Sundays 11 A. M. to 12 Noon, 5 to 6 P. M. and 7:30 to 8:30 P. M.

Parochial School—Grades 1 to 6—North Baldwin.

Bethany  
(The Round Stone Church).  
Clarence R. Nida, Pastor.

Sunday, 9:30 a. m., Bible Classes for all ages, 11:00 a. m., Morning Worship.

6:30 p. m., Christian Endeavor 7:30 p. m., Evening Meeting; Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7:30.

Church of the Nazarene

191 West Sierra Madre Boulevard.  
Orlan G. Burlison, Pastor

Sunday morning Bible School, 9:30. Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.

Young People's service, 6:30 p. m. 7:30 p. m., Evangelistic Service.

Mid-week prayer meeting, 7:30 Wednesday

Congregational Church

Sierra Madre Blvd. at Hermosa.  
Carl Smith, Minister.

SUNDAY SERVICE  
9:30 a. m., Church School.

11 a. m., Morning Worship.

6:30 p. m., Chimes from the Singing Tower.

6:30 p. m., Pilgrim Fellowship.

7:30 p. m., Young Adult Fellowship.

SUNDAY SCHOOL  
9:30 a. m.—Grades 5 and over.

10:45 a. m.—4th grade and under.

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MR. ROY EDWARDS of the Troy Laundry will have his office in the new shop.

—Ira Fox

## MRS. MABEL THAYER PASSES AWAY AT HER HOME MONDAY

Christian Science services were held yesterday at Grant Chapel for Mrs. Mabel J. Thayer, 435 North Grove avenue, who passed on last Monday.

Mrs. Thayer had lived in Sierra Madre since 1927 and was an active member of the Woman's Club. She was a graduate of the Carlyle-Peter-Cella Academy in Boston and was a nationally known concert pianist before her marriage.

Mrs. Thayer was born in Boston in 1863. She is survived by her sons, Wilbur F. Thayer Jr. and Donald Thayer of Sierra Madre. She had seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Interment was at Mountain View.

## OMAHA FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Embree, 535 North Auburn, spent Sunday in San Bernardino, visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Reynolds and family, former Omaha friends.

## First Baptist Church of Sierra Madre

Rev. Jacobson, Pastor.

Evening Worship—7:30 P. M.

Morning Worship—11:00 A. M.

Sunday School—9:30 A. M.

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The reading room at 22 North Baldwin Ave., is open daily except Sunday and holidays from 10:00 A. M. to 3:00 P. M.

Foothill Jewish Community Center

212 N. Lima St.

Ben Zion Bergman, Rabbi

Friday Evening Services, 8:30.

Saturday Morning Services, 9:00 A. M.

Tuesday Evening, 8:00 P. M. Institute of Adult Jewish Studies.

Children's Hebrew School Mon. & Wed. 3:45 P. M.

St. Rita's Shrine

Rev. Leo Scheibel, C. P., Pastor.

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## Prince Charles Joins Royal Group



One-month-old Prince Charles of Edinburgh takes the spotlight as proud parents and maternal grandparents pose for a new family portrait in Buckingham Palace. Princess Elizabeth is flanked by King George VI and Queen Elizabeth, and standing is the Duke of Edinburgh. The baby's full name is Charles Philip Arthur George.

## Report Card System May Be Changed

Discussion of changes in the system of reporting children's school progress drew more than 75 mothers to a meeting at the schoolhouse last Monday.

Superintendent of Schools Charles Skutt presided and advisor and guest speaker was Dr. Jessica Haskell, guidance co-ordinator for Los Angeles County schools.

The new proposed system would require written reports from the teacher on the child's school work and would call for conferences between parents and teachers. Letter grade reports of each child's work would be kept on file in the school for transference of the child to other schools, for parents' inspection or for any situation where a need for such grades arose.

No definite conclusion was

## WITH THE PICKETT SERVICE STATION

Since the first of the new year Lewis George, Jr., has been in the employment of the Pickett Service Station. Prior to this Mr. George was with the Sierra Madre Hardware Company, where he has been since returning from the service. Mr. George is a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pickett.

reached at this meeting, and further meetings are slated. An evening meeting is proposed to allow fathers to get in on the discussion.

Dr. Haskell stated that the trend throughout the country is toward the new system. But she added that there is no quick and easy method of arriving at a perfect system of reporting. It must be a trial method that leads to the best system, she said.

The reports brought home by children in February will be the same as previously used, Skutt said. Further meetings to determine what method parents prefer will decide future reports.

## Small Pox Vaccination At School

Vaccinations against smallpox are to be given pupils of Sierra Madre starting January 18, in the Sierra Madre public school according to an announcement by Dr. Roy O. Gilbert, Los Angeles county health officer.

"The vaccinations will be given in the school clinic," said school nurse Wells, "and parents should remember that they are only effective for five years."

Consent slips have been sent to parents for signing should they desire to have their children receive this protection.

Assisted by school and public health nurses from the Monrovia health district, Dr. B. G. Gribble, district health officer will be in charge of the vaccinations.

Parents residing in the various school areas are welcome to bring their pre-school children to the schools for this service, the health officer said, and adults, who are in need of protection, may also be vaccinated.

Although there has been no smallpox in Los Angeles county for the past six years, Doctor Gilbert is urging that all parents take advantage of this opportunity to have their children protected, as it is only by such preventive measures that the scourge of smallpox has been practically wiped out.

Schools to be visited in this area are:

February 9, St. Rita Parochial at 9 a. m. and Ascension Parochial at 10:30 a. m.

## New Sites Studied For Monrovia Hall

Monrovia—Three members of the Monrovia Planning Commission have been named a committee to recommend a site for a new city hall building if and when such a structure is erected here.

The commission expressed the hope that Monrovia will have a new City Hall to replace the present structure erected in 1887, one year after the founding of the town.

## Library's New Books

Lured by some inexpressible and gorgeous dream, men build cities, but the men who transformed a sleepy little adobe pueblo into the metropolis that is today Los Angeles, could not have conceived the final triumph of their plan.

"City Makers" by Remi A. Nadeau, is a book about the men who dreamed a city and ended up with an empire. In an account as swift-paced as a novel, Mr. Nadeau's book is not only exciting, but it shows extensive historical research. Written across the pages of this particular dream of city-making are many colorful characters—stage robbers, vigilantes, silver seekers, real-estate boomers. Two phases of Los Angeles history are given in detail; the town's long dependence on trade with the Owens River silver mines, and the terrific battle its citizens waged for all connection with the outside. This struggle of the two railroads—the Southern Pacific and its rival, the Los Angeles and Independence—for the silver trade provide pages of suspenseful reading.

Mr. Nadeau is a descendant of Remi Nadeau, the leading southern California freighter in the 1870's, who built the first four story building in Los Angeles.

For those who have a nostalgia to see Paris and its environs again, the chateau country—that enchanting valley of the Loire—ancient Brittany, the Pyrenees, "Footloose In France," by Horace Sutton, is an unusual travel book about post-war France. Not only is it interesting and highly informative, it is also very practical. It contains maps, charts and restaurant prices, tips on tips, and many photographs.

Other books received are: Fiction: Bold Galilean, Blythe; High Towers, Costain; Seraph on the Suwanee, Hurston; Best American Short Stories of 1948, Foley; Husband Who Ran Away, Dolson; Black Cypress, Crane; Gift for Death, Ronns; D. A. Takes a Chance, Gardner.

Non-fiction: Summer and Smoke, Williams (drama); It's an Old New Orleans Custom, Robinson; This Life I've Loved, Field; Damon Runyon Story, Weiner; Great Novelists and Their Novels, Maugham; Laughter in the Next Room, Sitwell; Shame of the States, Deutsch; Home From the Cold Wars, Roberts; No Place to Hide, Bradley; Struggle Behind the Iron Curtain, Nagy; Japan Diary, Gay; Ghost Towns of the Colorado; Yankee Science in the Making, Struik; Pony Wagon Town, Riker; Midwest Heritage, Drury; Jazz: A People's Music, Finkestein; Masterpieces of Religious Verse, Morrison.

## Thomas K. Nielsen At Home for Post Holiday Dinners

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas K. Nielsen entertained the officials of the Telephone Company of Monrovia at a dinner party Monday evening at their home on North Sunnyside. The guests included Miss Ronnie Talarica, Miss Lois Eakers, Ralph Durto, Roger Wessling, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams and Mrs. Marie Barone.

Last Wednesday night the Nielsens were at home for a buffet supper to the officers-elect of the Monrovia Masonic Lodge.



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## Surprise House Warming On Skyland Drive

Mr. and Mrs. Courtney Miles of 883 Skyland Drive were truly surprised Sunday afternoon when 39 guests arrived with a prepared dinner to congratulate them on the completion of the new studio unit of their home.

Mrs. Myrtle Magood of Pasadena and Mrs. Ave Wallace of Altadena (a daughter of the Miles) were responsible for the

## FAMILY CALLS

Family members visiting the J. Andrew Hall home, 611 West Grandview, Sunday, were Miss Jane L. Hall and Dr. and Mrs. J. Andrew Hall Jr. of Van Nuys and Dr. J. Hall O'Leary of Minnesota.

well-planned surprise. The guests spent the evening with the canvases of Mr. Miles, who is a recognized artist of early Western life. A service for 12 of Wimberly china was presented to Mr. and Mrs. Miles as a reminder-congratulation.

Thursday, January 13, 1949.

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## HOPEWELLS ENTERTAIN

An evening of dinner and cards was enjoyed recently by friends of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rogers Hopewell of North Adams. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ford of Puente, Dr. and Mrs. Harry Ellis of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hayes of Monrovia, Mrs. Viola Duck-

## BEACH BOUND

Police Officer and Mrs. Jack Rhodes, 432 Mariposa, drove to San Pedro Sunday for a visit with Officer Rhodes' cousin and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Butler.

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## PARENTS ANNOUNCE DAUGHTER'S BETHROTHAL AT DINNER PARTY

Virginia Carman Morrison will be the February bride of David Harold Allen. Friends learned of the engagement at an intimate dinner party recently, given by the bride-to-be's parents, Col. and Mrs. Charles Edward Morrison, 39 West Orange Grove.

Mr. Allen of the Sierra Madre Bank, is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ernest Allen of this city. He now resides

with an uncle, Walter Allen of Altadena.

Miss Morrison attended both the William Woods College in Missouri and Washington University, St. Louis.

The groom-to-be attended Pasadena City College, and served in the Pacific during the war, as an Army Lieut. Col.

Going somewhere? Call the NEWS.

## Kathryn Dowding's Engagement Made Known by Parents

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert S. Dowding, 514 Ramona Ave., are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Kathryn Mary, to James Douglas Hetherington.



KATHRYN MARY DOWDING

son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph S. Hetherington of 3195 Floradale Drive, Altadena.

Miss Dowding is a graduate of Pasadena City College and member of the honorary society, Sigma Zeta Psi and is now with the law firm of Olson, Butler and Taylor of San Marino.

Mr. Hetherington will graduate this month from the University of Southern California, Los Angeles as a civil engineer. During World War II, he served with the army in the South Pacific.

The wedding date has been set for February 5th at the Monrovia First Presbyterian Church, Rev. Lawrence E. Fisher officiating.

## GREEN VALLEY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bush and family, 633 West Sierra Madre Blvd., spent two days recently at the Green Valley Lake cabin belonging to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Van Duzer of Westwood.

## Many Attend Catholic Nuptials For Jean Dorweiler and James Smallldon

A honeymoon trip North immediately followed the wedding of Jean Dorweiler and James Eddy Smallldon, 10 o'clock Saturday morning at St. Rita Church. Fr. Leo Scheibel read vows in an altar filled with white candelabra and gladioli.

The family heirloom, a diamond and pearl lavallere, complemented the bride's gown of white slipper satin and Chantilly lace, fashioned with a long full train. Orange blossoms held her fingertip veil and she carried white roses and carnations surrounded by white orchids. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Dorweiler, 125 West Sierra Madre Blvd.

The groom is the son of Mrs. Myrtle Smallldon and Frank W. Smallldon of Detroit, Mich.

Miss Evelyn Dorweiler, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a Dubonnet velvet gown, seed pearl Juliet cap and carried deep red roses surrounded by white carnations.

Bridesmaids' powder blue gowns were worn by Misses Carmen Barela, Toni Haskell and Sue Reedy. Their matching Juliet caps were pearl trimmed.

Marvin Doughtenville was best man and ushers were Dale Cate, Ron Walters and James Mooney.

Soloist, Charles Gallagher was accompanied by Marjorie Bradley.

Greeting over 200 guests at the reception in the bride's home was her mother, Mrs. Dorweiler, who wore a pearl gray satin gown, and Kelly green and brown accessories.

The couple will live in Arcadia.

The bride, a graduate of Ramona Convent, is in her last year at John Muir, from which her husband was graduated last June. For 3½ years he served in the Navy as a radar technician.

## Nevada Marriage

Herbert Hoovers, III

Herbert Hoover III, grandson of the former President, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hoover Jr. of San Marino, was married Saturday noon to Meredith McGilvray in a quiet ceremony at Virginia City, Nev.

The Hoovers formerly lived in Sierra Madre at the top of Michillinda.

Miss McGilvray is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McGilvray of Palo Alto.

The couple was attended by the bridegroom's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Watson of Palo Alto.

The bride has been studying at the Stanford School of Nursing. The groom will continue his studies at Menlo Junior College. He is a graduate of Polytechnic, Webb School and Pasadena City College.

## COUNCIL APPROVES

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approximately \$2.25 a front foot for connections and \$3 a running foot for connecting laterals.

Such charges would be returned when the entire city is serviced with sewers, and the businesses then would pay a proportionate share of the entire cost.

It was pointed out that the need for sewer connections in the downtown area was urgent.

Brod said that those businesses fronting on the trunk lines that were installed last summer could make connections in a matter of a few days once the final details of the district were developed.

It would take about 90 days to complete connections where collecting laterals would have to be installed.

Former Councilman John Froehlich asked the Council to consider the possibility of including all property fronting on trunk lines in the proposed district. He asked that property owners from Lima street on the west, where the trunk line ends, to the city line on the east along Sierra Madre Blvd. be connected to the sewer.

It was pointed out, however, that the survey now will include only the business district because of the urgent problem.

A petition bearing 20 names was received by the Council which protested the installation of street lights in the Terrace district. Residents of the area declared that street lights there are not necessary as a safety measure and that they would spoil the night-time view of lights in the valley.

The Edison company already is placing two poles for lights on the street, but the Council ordered that these lights not be installed until an entire survey of street light needs for the city is completed.

It was pointed out that lights would be placed where they are needed for safety, but that they would not be installed elsewhere if residents did not want them.

Brod was given permission to circulate petitions for the widening and improving of three streets, Monterey Lane, Grove street and Manzanita avenue. Two others are set for later development, Churchill road and Holly Trail.

In other action, the Council also:

1. Heard City Clerk Lawrence Brain announce that city fire insurance rates have been reduced 20 percent.

"That's because we have such a good fire department," Mayor Milton Steinberger said.

2. Heard Brod say that he will get E. G. Meyers to remove lumber piled on Holly Trail as requested by G. J. Collins.

3. Approved as a new partner for Dean R. Johnson in the operation of the Wistaria Cab company Laurence Gonzales who purchased the interest held by Fred Lewis. Such approval is necessary in the transfer of license.

4. Told the Civic Club that it would go along on a lease for the Toy Loan Cottage in the City Park.

The club asked that the lease run for 25 years. City Attorney T. Guy Cornyn pointed out, however, that the lease, which will be drawn up before the Toy Loan opening January 21 and 22, should be for less than 25 years with renewal options, should provide for a nominal yearly rent and should carry a cancellation clause.

The lease would also provide for assignment to another ac.

## Sierra Madre Co-ed Heads College Dance

Margaret A. Henze, daughter of Mrs. Margaret S. Henze, 91 East Laurel Ave., is the chairman of the Final Fling, last social dance of the season, sponsored by the junior class, of Pasadena City College.

Miss Henze is an active member in other activities at college, such as the Tri-Y, Frosh Council, Soph Council, Student Body Representative, and former vice-president of the Student Council at Wilson Junior High. She is a 13-1 student and hopes to make nursing her career.

## NO MORE APPENDIX

Michael Castaneda, 42 North Auburn, is recovering at St. Luke Hospital following an appendectomy Saturday.

## DINNER AT GAMBY'S

Among 12 dinner guests expected Monday evening at the John W. Gamby home, 490 East Highland, are Mr. and Mrs. Cory S. Acra and Mr. and Mrs. James Osborne of this city.

Mrs. Frank Willard Hammond of Titusville, New Jersey, is spending the winter in Sierra Madre with her mother, Mrs. Frank Shay, 109 South Lima. She arrived via United Airlines last Friday.

Mrs. Shay is the sister of Mrs. Harry Morley, 400 Ramona.

## CANDIDATE AT MUIR

This is election week at John Muir College when 2379 students will go to the polls to elect officers. Calvin Floyd's name appears on the ballot as Representative-at-Large.

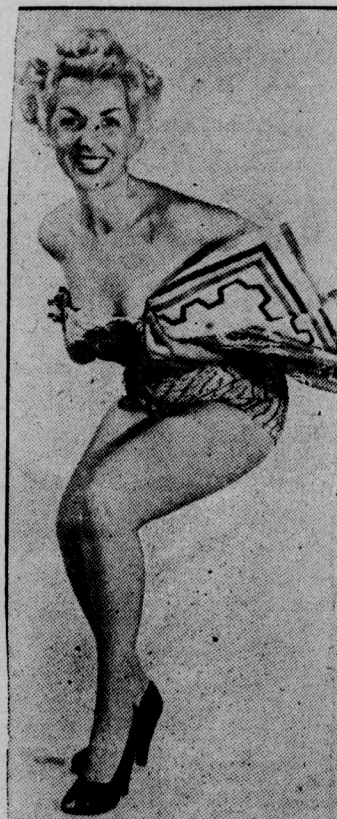
ceptable sponsoring organization should the Civic Club at any future time be unable to continue sponsorship of the Toy Loan project.

5. Decided that you can't buy a new police car with only \$450 in the budget for one. Police Chief G. G. McMillan had urged the Council to buy a new one as soon as possible because of the mechanical condition of the trade-in—the '46 Ford being on its last wheels (and by the next fiscal year, when the Council said it would buy one, it probably won't be able to make its own way down to the used car lot.)

6. Promoted Ralph Mattice to foreman of streets and water and increased his salary from \$198 a month to \$213.

7. Approved the payment of \$350 out of the promotion fund for flowers placed on the Sierra Madre Rose parade.

## Too Beautiful



Platinum blonde Gregg Sherwood, above, is so beautiful it makes her cry. She has a long string of "Most Beautiful" titles, but she wants to act, and no one seems to care whether she does or not. She quit a hit Broadway musical because all she had to do was look pretty. In movies it was the same story; she's just too beautiful for her own good.

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## Back at Office

Police Chief Gordon G. McMillan was back at the job Monday morning after a five-day bout with the flu.

It was reported that he is "feeling fine" now after really beating the virus this time.

## 1949 OFFICERS

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Morgan to attend these meetings.

"The vigorous activity of the Chamber during the past year and the Chamber's accomplishments have proved to all of us that a Chamber of Commerce here is of great value to all the town," he said.

He also pointed out the Chamber's acceptance of participation memberships, a classification for all interested civic-minded residents. The yearly dues in this classification are \$5.

"The Chamber is not closed to all but merchants, manufacturers and professional men," he said. "A good Chamber of Commerce welcomes the ideas and the participation of everyone—teachers, clergymen, housewives, salesmen and all others."

"You might say that the only requirement is that a man, or woman, have a common interest and pride in his home town, in what it is and especially in what it can be."

Any person interested in the Chamber is urged to call or write to the Chamber office at the City Hall regarding membership.

## POPE FAMILY VISITS

Former residents Mr. and Mrs. Don Pope and daughter, Alice, of Del Mar, visited Sierra Madre this week, guests at the home of Mrs. Marjorie Barter.

Pope, now a noted fiction writer, was formerly special reporter for the Sierra Madre News.

The Pope's Sierra Madre residence is now leased to Mr. and Mrs. William Wilcox.

While here they discussed with canyon residents the problems of the canyon, and offered their support in helping make the area a better place in which to live.

"For, as the rain cometh down and the snow from heaven and returneth not thither, but watereth the earth and maketh it spring forth and bud that it may give seed to the sower and bread to the eater."

—Isaiah 55:10.

## DUETS ENTERTAINED AT OSGOOD HOME

Duets of the Congregational Church will meet at eight o'clock Sat. night for an evening of games and refreshments in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Osgood, 615 West Montecito. Co-hosts will be Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Black.

## AT CIVIC CONCERT

Three couples attending the Philharmonic at Pasadena Civic last night, were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bush and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Schmidt of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Felberg of Monrovia. For the past 3 concert seasons the six friends have enjoyed tickets together.

## LOCAL MEMBERS AT ATHLETIC LUNCHEON

Mrs. William H. Marmion and Mrs. Fred E. Long of this city attended the monthly luncheon meeting of the Santa Anita Athletic Club, Wednesday at the home of Mrs. W. C. Billig in Arcadia.

This club for women has been organized 12 years and is devoted to recreation including badminton, bridge, etc.

## DINNER FOR SIX

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bettencourt of East Carter will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bush of this city and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Van Duzer of Westwood, at a dinner party Friday evening.

## SELMA VISITOR

Recent two-week houseguest at the Ransom Matthews home, 186 Grove, was Mr. Matthews' mother, Mrs. T. B. Matthews of Selma, Calif. Mrs. Matthews is serving her 28th year as director of the Selma Red Cross Chapter.

## DIVES OF ONTARIO

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dive of Colborne, Ontario, will be guests until March, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hannan, 420 East Montecito.

Mrs. Dive is a Past Matron of the Eastern Star in Colborne.

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ASSETS	Commercial	Savings	Combined
1. Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection.....	\$ 371,211.21	\$ 99,871.37	\$ 471,082.58
2. U. S. Government obligations, direct and fully guaranteed .....	1,025,428.13	486,500.00	1,511,928.13
3. State, county, municipal and school district obligations .....	146,362.00		146,362.00
6. Loans and discounts.....	465,972.71		465,972.71
7. Real estate loans.....	1,063,499.97		1,063,499.97
8. Overdrafts .....	1,978.80		1,978.80
10. Bank premises, furniture, fixtures and equipment.....	17,013.32	17,814.86	34,828.18
13. Other assets .....	4,032.92		4,032.92
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$2,031,999.09</b>	<b>\$1,667,686.20</b>	<b>\$3,699,685.29</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>			
14. Commercial deposits—demand .....	1,716,186.98		1,716,186.98
16. Savings deposits .....	1,590,686.20		1,590,686.20
18. U. S. Government and postal savings deposits .....	60,776.67	7,000.00	67,776.67
19. State, county and municipal deposits .....	86,472.59		86,472.59
23. Other liabilities .....	7,922.87		7,922.87
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$1,871,359.11</b>	<b>\$1,597,686.20</b>	<b>\$3,469,045.31</b>

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS			
24. Capital paid in:			
c. Common stock 2000 shares, par \$50.....	\$ 45,000.00	\$ 55,000.00	\$ 100,000.00
25. Surplus .....	55,000.00	15,000.00	70,000.00
26. Undivided profits—net .....	43,627.49		43,627.49
28. Reserves (includes preferred stock retirement fund) .....	17,012.49		17,012.49
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>160,639.98</b>	<b>70,000.00</b>	<b>230,639.98</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$2,031,999.09</b>	<b>\$1,667,686.20</b>	<b>\$3,699,685.29</b>

## MEMORANDA: Assets Pledged to Secure Liabilities

1. Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):			
a. U. S. Government obligations pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities .....	\$ 225,000.00	2,000.00	227,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 225,000.00</b>	<b>\$ 2,000.00</b>	<b>\$ 227,000.00</b>
2. Secured liabilities:			
a. Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law \$ 133,722.09	\$ 133,722.09	2,000.00	\$ 135,722.09
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 133,722.09</b>	<b>\$ 2,000.00</b>	<b>\$ 135,722.09</b>

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R. C. LEWIS, President.  
W. H. INGRAHAM, Cashier.

(SEAL)  
Severally subscribed and sworn to before me by both deponents this 10th day of January, 1949.

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## Teacher Club Hostess at P.T.A. Meet

P.T. A. resumes activities after the holidays, with a board meeting this morning, January 13, 9:30 A. M. in the school cafeteria. The Life Membership Committee will report on its selection. Mrs. Frank Penn's committee on Comic books will also have a report.

The committee enlisted the help of local dealers and shops in eliminating books which are harmful and met with fine cooperation.

"Including Cultural Values in our Plan," is the theme for the January 20th meeting of the P.T. A. to be held in the school cafeteria at 2:45 in the afternoon. Mrs. K. A. Learned, Reading and Library Service Chairman of the 1st District of the California Congress of Parents and Teachers will lead a discussion on children's literature. Mrs. Learned first took part in P.T. A. work while living in San Diego and has been active in this field for 15 years. Following are some of the topics she will discuss. "What is the Criteria of Good Children's Literature," "How Can We Help Our City Library," "Opinion on controversial Nursery Tales and Mother Goose." There will be a question and discussion period. The members of the Teachers Club will be hostesses for afternoon tea.

### COMIC BOOK

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many groups of child guidance experts, parents, civic groups and teachers.

The County Board of Supervisors adopted an ordinance which became effective last October 21 banning the sale of comic books to minors.

Waverly Pratt of Pratt's Market agreed to abide by the list of books acceptable to the P.T.A. "I'll go along with you," he said. "We'll watch what we have on the stands here and we'll eliminate the objectionable ones."

Miss Cordelia Jerome of the Sierra News Stand also agreed to follow the lists introduced by the committee. "I've been censoring the comics myself," she said. "I've sent back some before that I thought were bad, and I will certainly cooperate with the P.T.A. on this."

Mike Bachwansky of Mike's Barber Shop was already well up on the problem of offensive comics.

"I read over the county ordinance a long time ago," he said. "And I have gone by what it said. I have kids of my own, and I wouldn't want kids coming into my shop to read some of those comic books. I'll go by your list 100 per cent."

Albert Webb of Webb's Barber Shop also gave full agreement to the plan. "Leave your list with me," he said. "I'll go by it and you can count on my cooperation all the way."

All doctors' and dentists' offices having comics for young patients' reading were found to have the acceptables.



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## HAND CRUSHED BETWEEN BUMPERS

Miss Angeline R. Polley of 117 North Auburn is carrying her right hand in a cast necessitated by an accident at Christmas time when she broke four fingers. The accident occurred in Pasadena when Miss Polley caught her hand between the bumpers of two cars in attempting to unlock them. The four fingers were broken, the first finger a compound fracture and the third finger joint crushed.

Fortunately she received immediate attention at the Huntington Memorial Hospital and she is making a satisfactory adjustment to her handicap.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL TO BENEFIT

The Foothill Jewish Community Center on North Lima will be the scene of a "Let's Go to School Nite" Sunday evening at 212 North Lima.

The Sunday evening buffet supper, dancing and fun has been planned for the entire membership and their friends. The dinner will be served between 7 and 8 o'clock and all funds will go toward the Sunday School.

### RESCUE PARTY

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They then made their way down the trail, and reached the bottom at about 7:30 in the morning, Monday.

Checking the case that morning, they found Takala driving his car near the Mater Dolorosa Retreat house. He was then out looking for his wife, who was as yet unaware of his return.

Mrs. Takala was found at the Retreat house.

Takala stated that he had gotten lost while walking and had tried to come down Bailey Canyon. In the dark, he lost his way again. He spent the night in a firebreak, and made his way down in the morning. Other than fatigue, he was reported to have suffered no ill effects from the excursion.

### Scoutin' Around WITH BERT EMBREE

#### "SNOW FROLICS OF '49"

Camp San Antonio, the Scout camp on Mt. Baldy, was alive again last weekend with about sixty adults and scouts, representing all units in town, who made the icy trip for the week-end despite snow falling for most of the two days.

R. Barrett, in charge of the camp, saw that the boys were smuggled in the barracks, and made sure they had plenty to eat with Mr. Wright, of Troop Four, as head cook. He also kept close watch of the home-made and improvised sleds to make sure of safety.

The traditional campfire was held in the camp library Saturday night, under the faithful guidance of Skipper Robinson. He showed his color slides of the Summer Camp at Cherry Valley, conducted the community singing, and put everyone on edge with one of his famous ghost stories.

The Sunday Church Services were of the combined religion nature, with all denominations together. After service, the day was spent in the usual snowball battles, sledding, and just plain getting cold and wet.

They left in a snow flurry, which more or less followed them home.

#### WORKING FOR HONORS

From what I hear, most of the troops in town are really going to town for the next Court of Honor. With all the new boys we have, there is a new incentive toward getting ahead by making a good showing when it comes to earning the badges and awards that are available to all Scouts.

Another poor guess—I guess I can beat him to the intersection.

#### MENTAL STIMULUS

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MRS. ROBERT A. BRIMLOW

Mrs. Brimlow before her marriage at Christmas time was Eleanor Kristen Lunden. The wedding was held at the Pasadena Chapel of Roses. Mr. and Mrs. Brimlow are now at home at 213 North Hermosa following a Sun Valley honeymoon.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Lunden of Pasadena, former residents here. She is a cellist in the Pasadena Junior Symphony Orchestra, and attended Pasadena City College. The bridegroom, veteran of the Navy Air Corps, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Brimlow of Pasadena.

## Future School Bd. Member

Last Tuesday's school board meeting was postponed for a week or so. Mrs. Francis S. Dane, Jr., is a member of the school board.

Tuesday morning Mr. and Mrs. Francis S. Dane, Jr., became the elated parents of a 6-pound baby girl, Ann, at Huntington Memorial Hospital.

"She's 20½ inches long, too," Dane said.

Mr. and Mrs. Dane and Ann were reported to be doing very well.

The Danes live at 226 Olivera Lane. They have two other children, both boys, 8 and 10 years of age.

### Canyon Home For Newlyweds

Newlyweds now making their home in the Sierra Madre Canyon, are Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sandys, who were married recently in the Westwood Community Church. They are living at 773 Brookside Lane.

Mrs. Sandys, (nee Suzanne Debus) is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Debus, 731 Brookside Lane.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Sandys, 1827 Oak View Lane.

Attendants at the wedding were Miss Mignon Murphy and Mark Ellsworth.

In June the bride will graduate from Pasadena City College. The groom is also a PCC alumna.

## Well Known Club Woman Passes

Services were held last Thursday at Grant Chapel for Mrs. William W. Gildersleeve, 475 Manzanita avenue, who died last week after a prolonged illness.

Mrs. Gildersleeve was past president of the Woman's Club and was very active in the St. Rita's P.T. A.

She came to Sierra Madre about four years ago and in that time had become an intrinsic part of the town.

She is survived by her husband, William W. Gildersleeve; two daughters, Lynne and Gail; and her sister, Mrs. Walter Thurber, all of Sierra Madre.

### SUNDAY SUPPER

Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Al W. Miller, 550 North Hermosa, were Mr. and Mrs. Keith A. Neal and son, Michael, of Pasadena; Mrs. Lillian Neal of Alhambra; and Mr. and Mrs. Norman O. Nelson and son, Denton, of Sierra Madre.

### NEW EASTERN STAR MEMBER

When the Eastern Star meets 8 p. m. Monday, January 17, Margaret Ann Nicholson will be initiated as a new member. Committee hostess will be Mrs. Harriet Cox.

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### BANK SEEKS

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discrimination against some contractors.

He was protesting Assistant Engineer Howard W. Brod's refusal to accept plans for remodeling of the bank property on Kersting square without plan elevations showing a slight change in the grade of the sidewalk and curb.

"I'm afraid we're getting a little technical in town," Morgan said. "We're ready to go anytime we get approval."

Brod said that a plan for the change should be submitted because "the city would have no recourse if it were improperly constructed."

Morgan said that "it's a disturbing thing to me" to find that the city engineer questions the work "when he finds out who the contractor is."

Contractor for the bank remodeling is Harold Spears who for more than six months was at odds with both Brod and former City Attorney Thomas A. Reynolds over a Grandview avenue subdivision.

The Council suggested that the bank get some sort of drawings, but Morgan raised the question of whether acceptance of them would depend upon who did them.

The Council edged off onto a less touchy subject.

## Dickens Fellowship At the Lewis Home Good Advice

The Dickens Fellowship will meet next Thursday, January 20th at the home of Mrs. Rollin C. Lewis, 350 Toyon Road at two P. M.

Miss Martha Pritchard and Mrs. Marion Galbraith will read from Pickwick Papers.

### TEA

Half a dozen local friends were entertained at a tea last week, given by Mrs. P. Lupfer, 680 North Auburn.

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### BOY WINS

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Dannie Peterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Peterson, 17 Suffolk, was more surprised than anyone when he was called into the Ralph Shoe Store to receive the prize which was awarded to him in a recent National Limerick Contest conducted by Sky-rider Shoes for Boys.

Dannie completed the fourth line of a limerick which he received at Ralph's. He did not tell his parents or the Hurwits that he had entered the contest and he does not remember what he wrote, but it must have been good for he has a beautiful radio for himself as a reward.

### RECORD SNOW

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weathering the cold may yet fail, they said.

Snowmen appeared early Tuesday morning on many a lawn, and snowball fights were held for the first time in many a child's life.

"It was the heaviest snow the city has ever had," reported Ben Mobley, who keeps the official city records of rainfall and temperatures and has records of the past 50 years.

"Other snows have been flurries—this was a real snow-storm," he said.

C. W. Jones, who also has many years' records, reported that this was the "heaviest snowfall by all odds."

Temperatures have gradually come up, however, since the official 25 degree low reached on January 4.

Temperatures went below freezing on Monday with a low of 29 degrees and Tuesday's low, along with the snow, was 30 degrees.

Melted snow in the rain gauge at the pumping plant reached one-quarter of an inch. Mrs. H. W. Hubner of 800



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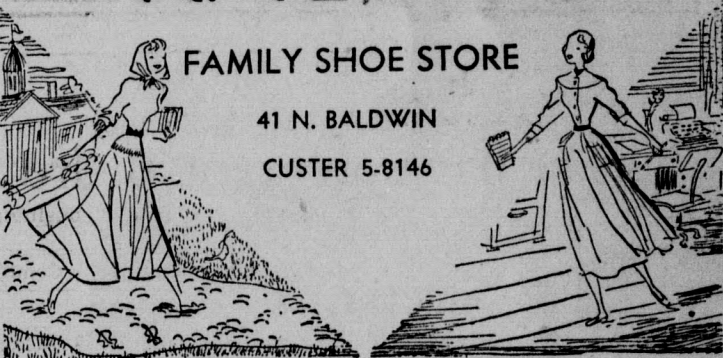
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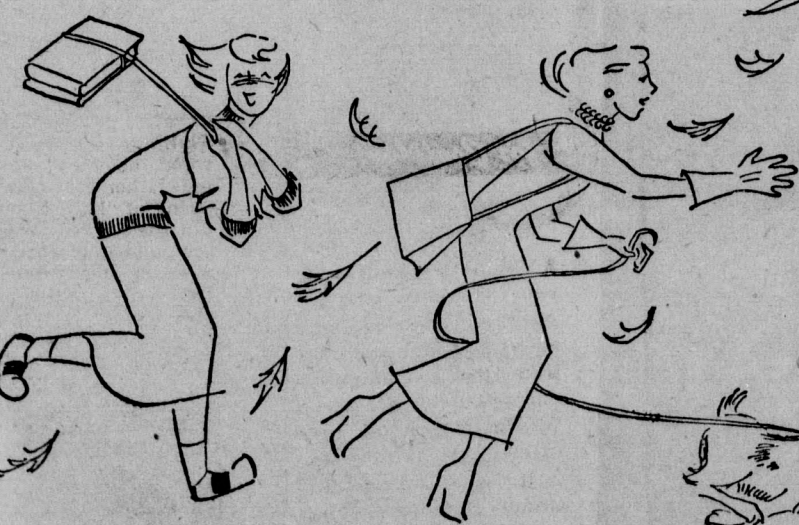
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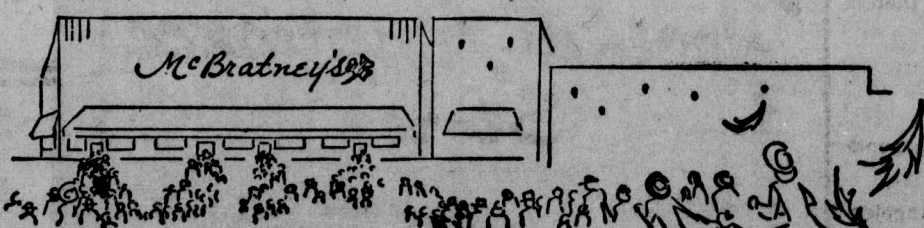
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## LEASH LAW ENFORCEMENT IS NO ANSWER TO SIERRA MADRE'S DOG PROBLEM

Sierra Madre is the doggiest town we know.

But that's nothing to hold against it. It may be that the size of the dog population in Sierra Madre is an indication of generosity, of kindness, of friendliness.

In any event, having a dog or a litter of them is a family's privilege—and it is a privilege that the city will not readily relinquish.

The 900 or 1000 dogs that make their homes here, however, often create problems. Not only for the owners, but also for the neighbors and the police who must double in brass as dog catchers and dog quieters.

Only about 700 of the city's dogs are licensed. Many of the balance are strays—and when it comes to dog control all unlicensed dogs must be considered strays.

It might be well for unattached dog lovers to take some of the stray dogs into their homes and make good citizens of them, but in lieu of that, the police must keep them in check.

But doing so presents problems that ordinarily are not and should not be police problems.

Because of a "dog crisis" several months ago, a contract with the San Gabriel Humane Society was terminated. But in the light of present conditions, the basis for that termination should be examined again.

The job of picking up unlicensed dogs and dogs that are creating a nuisance should not fall on the police. Sick, diseased and injured animals often must be picked up. Police squad cars were not built for such traffic. A person with some training in animal handling should be on hand for such jobs.

If the city cannot hire a dog catcher on a part time basis out of the \$1700 or \$1800 it takes in each year from dog licenses, then it should again consider a contract service.

A proposal that the "dog leash" law already on the books be enforced is under consideration. This would mean that every dog loose on the streets, whether it was making a nuisance of itself or not, would be picked up. The owner could, of course, reclaim his pet after paying impound fees. But such a program seems impractical.

Under such a program, any pet, even though licensed, would have to be confined and exercised on leash.

The more proper step would be a reliable dog catcher service. That is up to the City Council.

An animal should not be picked up just because it is not leashed. Rather the criterion should be whether or not the dog is licensed and whether or not it is creating a nuisance or threat.

Dog owners here will then find protection for their pets in the city license.

## Ticklers

By George



"Paw, do you reckon we shoulda learned Maw how to climb trees?"

## Local Rifle Club Has Good Year

The Santa Anita Rifle Club announces the result of its election of officers as follows: President, Ed Cutler; Vice Pres., Lawrence Jones; Executive Officer, Oliver Abraham; Instructor, Stanley Fish; Treasurer, Roy Shipway; Secretary, Stanley Coutant.

The final scores for the year were high due to the good turnout of most of the members, both for the small bore and big bore final scores. The small bore shooting was done at the local range in the basement of the City Hall. The big bore shooting was done at the Fish Canyon Range east of Monrovia. Nineteen members qualified in the small bore shoot and sixteen members qualified in the .30 Caliber shoot. That will mean quite a number of medals to be awarded this year by the Director of Civilian Marksmanship, U. S. Army.

The only member to shoot a possible, or perfect score was George Shipway, who did so with one of the club .22 rifles. His father, who has been a club

**GOOD ADVICE!**  
Jessie Russell of the Ward Nursery holds out a ray of hope in face of the recent freeze. Mrs. Russell says "Spring is wonderful, you will be surprised how plants and shrubs recoup."  
She advises postponing any pruning for several weeks. This will give the plant a chance to show you the dead and destroyed branches and you will not run a risk of trimming live growth.

member many years, said that as far as he knows that is the first time any local club member has done so here.

Things are buzzing at the meetings and it looks like there will be a good year of shooting activity for 1949.

## George Tyree in Music-Arts Concert

Sierra Madre baritone George Tyree, will be one of several artists presented by the Music-Arts Club in its 14th annual complimentary concert, 8:15 p. m. Friday, at Recital Hall of the Pasadena Public Library. There will be no admission charge.

Mr. Tyree, a Pasadena City College graduate, is a soloist at the Pasadena Chapel of Roses. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Russell E. Tyree, 140 S. Hermosa.

**ARCHITECTS SOJOURN**  
C. Jacques Hahn and Robert Harkey, local landscape architects, returned Sunday from two weeks' business-vacation in Cuernavaca, Taxco, Acapulco and Mexico City.

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## POLICE BLOTTER

The usual New Year's celebration partys' complaints. Too noisy, too late and some of 'em too, too much to drink. . . A burglary reported. . . Open fire reported. . . Dead cat to be picked up. . . Mr. Quackenboss building a house out in the west end of town, was much perturbed by the mewing of a kitten as he worked. The sound was traced to underneath the house. With the aid of a flashlight from the police, he was able to find it snugly located back of a newly installed bathtub and in such a position that only the removal of the tub would release it. (Unless of course it had sense enough to return the way it got there.) Not taking any chances, the man removed some good plaster from the wall where it was expected the cat would see the light.

At another home, a plumber was needed badly before the water overflowed the bathtub and onto the floor. Officer Gotcher reported that he gave the required information as to where to get the plumber.

Suspicious car. . . Attempt burglary. . . Chunn and Mackie assist a disabled man into his bed. . . Officer Bird is called upon to light a pilot light that had gone out. . . Two boys attempt to ride motorcycles along Mt. Wilson Trail. . . "Tree down." . . Wire down. . . Fire call. . . Called to settle dispute between lady of the house and the maid. Dan Rauscher responded into Arcadia territory and turned it over to them when they arrived. . . Many wires down during the storm. . . "Smudge!" . . A drunk driver

er brought in. . . Fire permits wanted, Warrants served, messages delivered, etc.

A rejected husband returns to annoy. Chunn and Mackie are not small fellows. . . Broken fire plug. . . A dead dog in the yard of resident. . . What might have been a knock down, drag out affair resulted in the arrest of one who was heavily fined for threatening to fight. It doesn't pay, either way. . . Lost boy returned home after twenty minutes absence. . . Malicious mischief at St. Rita's school. Boys broke a light.

(Five Wednesdays in December was cause for so many people to place their tin cans on the parkway at the wrong time. It is urged that residents be on the look out for this. It means that the cans must be returned to your own property until the proper time.) . . . Hi Embree called to help return invalid lady to her bed. . . Dog bite. . . A ham stolen from a parked car is soon returned. . . Another rejected husband comes to Sierra Madre to annoy his ex-wife. Chunn and Mackie are called on this one also. . . Loose horses running along the street. A real hazard, this is. . . Mary Ann Morse was bitten by a dog while riding a bicycle, no, while riding a bicycle a dog bit her, no, that's not it either. She was bitten on the bicycle by a dog, or it could have been this way. She was bitten by a dog riding a bicycle. At any rate she was bitten by a dog. She was

## Nazarene Cabinet Dinner Meeting

"Responsibility of a Teacher" was discussed by Rev. Lyle Potter at a dinner meeting of the Nazarene School Cabinet Tuesday night, at the Sierra Madre Hotel.

Rev. Potter, youth director of this district, was introduced by Rev. Orlan Burlison, pastor of the local Nazarene Church.

on her bicycle when it happened. Suit yourself.

Just to have a short hike Mr. Wesley Takala left his comfortable home to tramp along one of the ridges above him. Little did he realize that darkness clamps down here so suddenly. He found himself far upon a ridge and with very poor vision. When he failed to return at a reasonable time, he was being searched for. Fred LaLone, Henry Nuetzel, the police, and others were soon scouring the mountains for him. It was noon the following day that he returned after a night of real cold weather and misery of the mountains.

## January Nursery School Meeting At Park House

The Sierra Madre Community Nursery School Association will hold its January meeting in the Park House Tuesday evening, January 18, at 8 p. m.

There will be an exhibit of Children's paintings, and Mrs. Marjorie Green, School Director, will discuss the value of easel and finger-painting for nursery school children.

Mrs. MacCason and her committee will provide refreshments, and a social hour will follow the meeting.

All parents of young children, whether or not they attend nursery school are cordially invited to come.

## HANDICRAFT FOR CAMPFIRE LEADERS

A score of Campfire leaders met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Everett Carver, 527 East Montecito.

Handicraft instruction was given by Florence Woods from the Pasadena Area Campfire office.

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## Let's See



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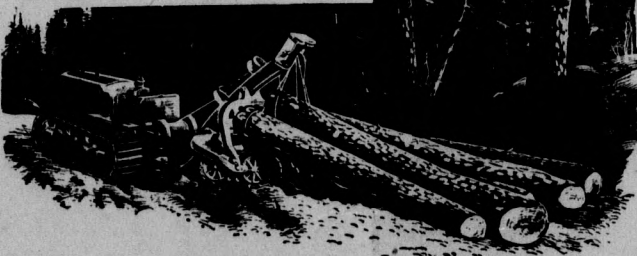
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Bundle of snow drapes Santa Fe Indian Village at deserted Railroad Fair. Snowfall lends weird touch to pueblos usually found in warmer climes. Summer residents of cliff dwellings, long returned to homes in Southwest, probably have never seen snow. Buildings were erected as exhibit for popular lake front show held in Chicago last summer. The fair will open again June 25, 1949, and operate until October.

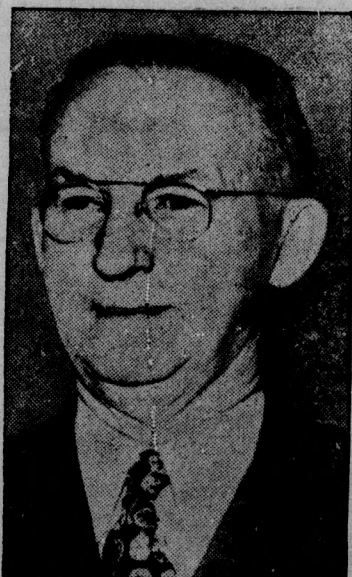
## FIRE FLAMES

It was just a little on the sad side of things when we ended up the year with two rather destructive fires following the dry season. Had it not been for these, the fire loss would have been a record low for all times in Sierra Madre. It only proves that there is never a safe time. After the dry season comes the cold season when fire places and other heating arrangements are put into use. Many times a fire place that has been used for years will develop defect and should be thoroughly examined before lighting after a long "lay-off." A flue can become obstructed with materials carried there by birds or through some other source. It doesn't pay to relax too much when it comes to fire prevention. We always have the danger before us. Overheated stoves, sparks from chimneys, light clothing catch fire from open flames. Floor heaters are allowed to become fouled with explosive dust and there are ever so many ways that fire can start. We've just got to stay at the plate with our eyes on the ball. Despite the two late fire calls—we can still boast a little of a low fire loss. With due consideration of the fact that Sierra Madre now has a population of very close to 8000 people, we have a lot to be proud of, and, although much of it is just plain old good luck, there is a certain amount of credit MUST go to our constant FIRE PREVENTION co-operation. We ask the continuance of the splendid work done by our good friends and neighbors.

This is the drill week that will decide which of two fire fighting teams will feed the other to a very healthy meal. To date the teams are tie and this week's drill will tell. It is the sad predicament of the writer to be the deciding judge of this affair and it goes without saying that it's a heck of a spot to be in. (And you can say that again.) Are there any volunteers who would like to act as assistant judge? To explain—there has been a series of drills conducted to determine which of two teams could accomplish them the fastest and most correct. To date matters are all "tied up." You can imagine for yourself what the judges are confronted with. (That is, if you know the fire fighters of Sierra Madre.)

The men of the fire department hereby thank all the good people who made the latest Christmas ticket selling campaign so easy. It was really an easy matter because of the pleasant manner in which we were received. We collected sufficient funds to send some very healthy baskets of food to a number of families and had plenty of money to put substantial stuff into the stockings that were passed out to the children on Christmas Eve. And we will have lots of money to supply materials and candy for the coming Easter Party at the City Park at Easter time. So, we thank you.

And just to remind you that to be careful means we are now starting a new year and with your help we can repeat the low fire losses of the past. Keep an eye on everything that might cause a fire and if there is the least indication, give the fire department an early call. An early call is a "break" for the fire fighters. Let's keep the FIRES OUT.



Dr. William L. (Buck) Pressly, of Due West, S. C., is the nation's "Family Doctor of the Year." A former baseball player who dropped his sports career to become a horse-and-buggy doctor, he was selected at the American Medical Association's meeting in St. Louis, Mo. In his 33 years of practice he has delivered 4200 babies.

## CHAMBER MUSIC SERIES AT COUNTY MUSEUM

The American Art Quartet started the winter series of nine Sunday afternoon chamber music concerts at the Los Angeles County Museum in Exposition Park, January 2 at 3 p. m.

The programs will continue, a concert given each Sunday afternoon, until Sunday, February 27.

Musical organizations scheduled to give the other concerts in the series are as follows:

January 9—Alice Ehlers Ancient Instruments Ensemble.

January 16—Koldofsky Piano Quartet.

January 23—Seidel String Quartet.

January 30—Lacross Trio.

February 6—Waldo Latin-American Quartet.

February 13—Sonata Recital.

February 20—Lorna Wren

## Graduates in Naval Air Training

William P. Boggs, aviation electronics technician, third class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Boggs of 696 Ramona ave., has been graduated from the Aviation Electronics Technician School at the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Memphis, Tenn.

Boggs, who entered the Naval service on July 27, 1942, received his recruit training at the Naval Training Center, San Diego, Calif.

Trio.

February 27—Hollywood String Quartet.

The series is presented by the education division of the Museum in co-operation with the Los Angeles County Music Commission and the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors. No admission is charged.

## MUSEUM DISPLAYS HISTORIC STONE AND METAL WORK

An interesting display of minerals and rocks from which tools, ornaments and metals were developed by man from the time of the dim and misty past down to the present day atomic period, will be on view to the public in the rotunda of the Los Angeles County Museum in Exposition Park, according to an announcement by James H. Breasted, Jr., director of the institution.

The exhibit, which depicts the development and progress made in the stone, bronze, iron, light metals and atomic ages, will run concurrent with the German masterpieces art show at the Museum from January 4 until the 22nd.

Don't smoke in forest areas.

## 'SABBATH' TOPIC AT JEWISH WOMEN'S MEET

The Foothill Jewish Women's Club will hold its regular monthly luncheon meeting on Tuesday, January 13, at the Temple Center, 212 North Lima.

Program Chairman Mrs. Bella Bergman will discuss "The Sabbath."

Lunch will be served at 12:30, followed by a brief business meeting.

## DIES IN LONG BEACH

Mrs. Mary A. Wingard former Sierra Madrean living at 168 W. Montecito passed away December 11th in Long Beach according to word received from her niece, Mary Saxton.

Take care in your car.

## National Guard Now Has 18,120 Members

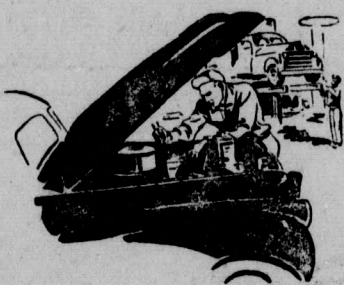
SACRAMENTO—California's National Guard now includes 18,120 officers and men, Maj. Gen. Curtis D. O'Sullivan said this week.

Since Nov. 23, when the ceiling on enlistments was removed, 1070 have signed up, the adjutant general announced.

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**TOSCANINI PROTEGE**—The young Italian conductor, Guido Cantelli, who will be guest conductor of the NBC Symphony Orchestra for four weeks starting Saturday, Jan. 15, was discovered in Italy last summer by Arturo Toscanini. The maestro was so impressed with Cantelli's talent that he invited him to be guest director of the NBC Symphony.

## Wallenstein to Conduct Youth Broadcasts Here

By TOMMY ANN MILLER

### Plan Arcadia Fire Station

Arcadia—During 1949 a fire station will be built in Arcadia to provide more adequate fire protection for residents in the north end of the city just south of Sierra Madre.

Fire Chief James M. Nellis said the station will be built on city property, part of which is now occupied by water department pumps and equipment at 67 W. Orange Grove Ave. The new building will be just east of Highland Ave.

In commenting on the need for another station, Chief Nellis pointed out that the area north of Foothill Blvd., embracing Santa Anita Oaks, Rancho Santa Anita, and property east of Santa Anita Avenue is becoming more and more built up, requiring increased fire protection.

"The present setup, with both fire departments south of the railroad tracks, gives an unbalanced protection, and should a call come in while a slow train is passing and blocking either Santa Anita or First Avenues, the delay could be disastrous," he said.

Looking to the future, Chief Nellis at a police and fire committee meet held in April, 1945 brought to the attention of the board the inadequacy of the present setup, urging that something be done as soon as materials and equipment would be available.

Ranch type architecture has been selected to fit in with homes in that area.

### PICNICS

The "Buckeyes" and their friends are meeting for a mid-winter reunion, January 16th for the day in Sycamore Grove Park.

On January 15th the Illinois State will have an all day get-together in the same Sycamore Grove for friends of the "Prairie State."

### MOTHER GUEST AT PARADE

Clarence Howland of Los Angeles came over Saturday taking his mother, Dr. Adele Howland to the Tournament of Roses Parade. Dr. Howland reports that her husband, Henry Howland, is improving and will be able to come home from Los Angeles soon.

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3 C. sliced winter pears

1/2 C. brown sugar, firmly packed

Sift and measure flour. Sift again with baking powder, salt, and white sugar. Cut in shortening. Add well-beaten egg mixed with milk to make 1/2 cup. Stir in all at once and mix only enough to moisten flour. Heat pears in water and brown sugar to boiling. Pour into 1 1/2-quart baking pan or casserole. Drop dumpling batter by tablespoons into hot fruit mixture. Cover tightly. Bake in hot oven (450° F.) 20 minutes, or until dumplings are nicely browned. Serve warm with cream.

**PEAR TOWER SALAD** (Serves four)

4 Anjou pears

2 3-ounce packages cream cheese

3 tbsp. milk

3 tbsp. pitted dates, finely cut

3 tbsp. walnut meats, chopped

2 tbsp. raisins, finely chopped

Watercress and lettuce

Wash ripe Anjou pears and chill. Soften cream cheese with milk; whip with fork until light and fluffy. Add dates, nut meats and raisins. Core each pear from the bottom. Slice pears crosswise into fourths. Spread slices with cheese mixture and put back into original pear shape. Garnish with watercress. Serve in lettuce cups and pass the French dressing.

### LIONS BOWLERS MATCH RIVALS

Sierra Madre Lions' Club Bowling Team tied 2-2 with their last week's opponents, the Arcadia Lions Club, when they met at the Alhambra Recreation Center.

Captain of the local team is Andy Liscomb, others are: Lloyd Welch, Norman Dumas, Harold Hamm and Frank Lukas.

Competitions are held 9 p. m. every Wednesday at the Alhambra Center.

### FOR PLEASURE

A four-day pleasure trip through Phoenix and Tucson, Ariz., ended Sunday night for Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn L. Edgar, 300 West Orange Grove, and their companions, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Stanton of San Marino.



**PARLOR GAME**—Garry Moore, emcee of NBC's "Take It Or Leave It" quiz show, advises radio listeners to stay at home on Sunday nights. He has begun calling them to participate in the giant jackpot question.

## Burl Ives Coming to L. A. Stage

Burl Ives, singer of American folk songs, whom the noted historian Carl Sandburg calls "the mightiest ballad singer of any century" is coming to Los Angeles for a special concert in Philharmonic Auditorium on Sunday afternoon, Feb. 13.

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Tickets for his Philharmonic Auditorium recital, are now available at the ticket office, Southern California Music Company in Los Angeles, and at all Mutual Agencies.

### GUESTS PLAN TO STAY

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Alpert of 48 West Mira Monte have entertained several Eastern family guests over the holiday fortnight. The visitors were G. Horace of Winkles-Barre, Pa., Mrs. M. B. Levin of Rochester, N. Y., and their niece, Miss Marilyn King of New York City.

Again it is a case of 'love at first sight,' the Easterners are charmed with Sierra Madre and are making plans to come here to live.

Mr. Alpert is improving rapidly and soon expects to be back in the business again.

Handel's "Xerxes," Beethoven's "In Questa Tomba Oscura" and "Che Fiero Costume" by Legrenzi. Orchestra plays music of Kodaly, Tchaikovsky and "Pines of the Applan Way," final section from Respighi's "Pines of Rome."

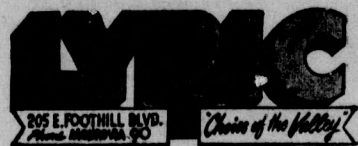
### Democratic Club Meets Tonight

The 48th Assembly District Democratic Club will meet tonight, January 13 at 6:30 for a dinner session at the Venetian Dining Room on Lake Ave., Pasadena. Holmes Ford will speak on the future of the Democratic Party.

### CRAFT CLASS

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### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF HEARING BEFORE THE PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF SIERRA MADRE UPON THE APPLICATION OF MR. AND MRS. H. L. BUSSEY FOR THE GRANTING OF A VARIANCE. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bussey have filed with the City of Sierra Madre an Application for the granting of a variance as to certain real property hereinafter described, situate in the R-1 Single Family Residence District, in order that said real property might be improved with an additional kitchen in one of the buildings thereon. That pursuant to the provisions of Ordinance No. 391 of the City of Sierra Madre, the Planning Commission of the City of Sierra Madre at a regular meeting held on December 23, 1948, fixed Thursday, January 27, 1949, at the hour of 8:00 o'clock P. M. at the Council Chambers in the City Hall of Sierra Madre as the time and place for a public hearing upon said application.

The real property involved and for which a Variance is sought is situated at 390 Sycamore Place in Sierra Madre, California, and is described as follows: Lots 12, 13 and 14 of Tract 1360, in the City of Sierra Madre, as per Map thereof, recorded in Book 21, Page 121 of Maps, in the office of the County Recorder of Los Angeles County, containing approximately 24,000 square feet of area. Reference is hereby made to the application and the Certificate of Survey attached thereto, on file with the City Clerk of the City of Sierra Madre where it may be examined by any interested person. Dated this 13th day of January, 1949.

BY ORDER OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION. By Webster Vannier, Acting Secretary. 1-13.

### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF INTENDED SALE Under Section 3440 Civil Code of the State of California

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That W. A. Corrette, Vendor, whose address is 1133 Oak Street, in the City of Duarte, County of Los Angeles, State of California, intends to sell to William Title, 906 1/2 N. Virgin Ave., Los Angeles, Calif., and Melvin Suhl, 187 N. Sunnyside Ave., Sierra Madre, Calif., Vendees, whose addresses are above set forth, County of Los Angeles, State of California the following described personal property to wit:

All stock in trade, fixtures, equipment and good will of a certain Gas Station business, known as Corrette's Rio Grande Service, and located at 1760 East Huntington Drive in the City of Duarte, County of Los Angeles, State of California, and that a sale, transfer and assignment of the same will be made, and the consideration therefor will be paid at 10:00 o'clock a. m. on the 21st day of January, 1949, at the escrow department of The Bank of Sierra Madre at 10:00 A. M., in the City of Sierra Madre, County of Los Angeles, State of California. Dated January 11, 1949.

W. A. Corrette, Vendor. 1-13.

### LEGAL NOTICE

19241—SIERRA MADRE NEWS NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY AT PUBLIC AUCTION

(Sale No. 54A) Office of the Tax Collector of the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles pursuant to the provisions of Division 1, Part 6, Chapter 7 of the Revenue and Taxation Code of the State of California, adopted a resolution approving the sale of property hereinafter described; and

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## ANDY LISCOMB UNION SERVICE MAN KNOWS CARS, KNOWS PRODUCTS



Andy Liscomb's Union Service Station has been on its present corner, 4 N. Baldwin, for the last eight years, but Liscomb has been in Sierra Madre for the past 26 years.

He worked with Mayor Steinberger for ten years in his station before taking over the present business. And before that he worked for eight years for the Ford Company in Los Angeles. He knows his products, he knows the cars he services, washing, greasing and selling just about everything that makes for a smooth running car.

On time out from the station, Liscomb enjoys golf and bowling. He bowls with the Lions Club team on Friday nights and with Roberts' Frogs on Mondays.

He has bowled for about ten years, and the valley team he played with won the San Gabriel Valley playoff.

He has one daughter, Virginia, and one granddaughter.

## MELVIN BOWMAN KNOWS MACHINES AND CAN EXPLAIN THEM, TOO



If mechanically and technically literate is a proper phrase to describe a man's capabilities, it's the phrase to use for Melvin Bowman. His technical and mechanical knowledge is surpassed only by his ability to explain the intricacies of a mechanical device so that even the most untalented can understand its workings.

Melvin and Chloe Bowman

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Bowman has developed several improvements now used on Bendix washers. Among them is an automatic two-level water device which provides for a low water level for washing to conserve soap and hot water and a copious amount of water for needed rinsing. Bowman holds the patent on and is now manufacturing this device and it is now being tested in Bendix laboratories.

of Happy's Liquor Store on Sierra Madre boulevard near Baldwin.

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